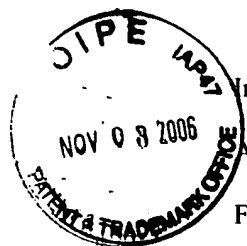


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re Masato KUWABARA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1772

Application No.: 10/755,848

Examiner: William P. Watkins III

Filed: January 13, 2004

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

- ☐ An Appendix including amended drawing figures labeled as "Annotated Marked-up Drawings" is enclosed.
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time for reply within the third month is attached.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended:

	As Amended		Previously Paid for		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Independent Claims:	1	-	1	=	0	X	\$ 200.00	=	\$ 0.00
Total Claims:	10	-	20	=	0	X	\$ 50.00	=	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims:							\$ 360.00	=	\$ 0.00
Total Additional Fee:									\$ 0.00

- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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